EXPRESS, INC. Form 4 April 01, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Weiss Michael A Symbol

(Middle)

EXPRESS, INC. [EXPR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

03/30/2016

C/O EXPRESS, INC., 1 EXPRESS DRIVE

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

COLUMBUS, OH 43230

(State)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 3. 4. Securities Acquired

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) (A) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D)

Common

(Zip)

128,598 03/30/2016 A \$0 1,541,972 (2) D A (1)

value \$0.01

Stock, par

By the Michael A. Common Stock, par Weiss Trust 334,729 I value Agreement \$0.01 Gamma #5 7 Ι Common By the Declaration Stock, par

value sof Trust of Solution of Trust of Arlene Weiss

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	of 8) D So A	Tumber f Derivative ecurities Acquired A) or			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	S H C H
Security	or Exercise Price of Derivative	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code (Instr. 8	of 8) D Sc A (A D of (I 4,	f Derivative ecurities Acquired A) or Disposed f (D) Instr. 3, , and 5)	(Month/Day/\)		Under Secur	rlying ities	Security	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Weiss Michael A C/O EXPRESS, INC., 1 EXPRESS DRIVE COLUMBUS, OH 43230

Signatures

Lacey J. Bundy, Attorney-in-Fact 04/01/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

X

(1) Includes restricted stock units that are settled in common stock upon vesting on April 15, 2016.

Total includes 1,401,460 shares that are held by the Declaration of Trust of Michael A. Weiss (the M. Weiss Trust). The M. Weiss Trust (2) is a revocable trust of which Mr. Weiss is the trustee and sole beneficiary. Accordingly, these shares are reported as being held directly by Mr. Weiss.

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(3) This trust is a grantor retained annuity trust for the benefit of Mr. Weiss and his descendants. Mr. Weiss is not the trustee of the trust and disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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